

AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT				1. Contract ID Code		Page 1 of Pages 2				
2. Amendment/Modification No. Amendment 0010			3. Effective Date September 22, 2005		4. Requisition/Purchase Req. No. NAAX1000-5-00002		5. Project No. (if applicable)			
6. Issued By NOAA'S HIGH PERFORMANCE COMPUTING ACQUISITION STAFF 1315 EAST WEST HIGHWAY, ROOM 9734 SILVER SPRING, MD 20190 Willam L. Voitek (301) 713-3525 ext 196				7. Administered By (If other than Item 6) Code						
8. Name and Address of Contractor (No., Street, County, and Zip Code) TO ALL OFFERORS					(X)			9A. Amendment of Solicitation No. DG133A-05-RP-1038		
					X			9B. Date (See Item 11) Jan 13, 2005		
								10A. Modification of Contract/Order No.		
								10B. Date (See Item 13)		
Code			Facility Code							
11. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS										
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in item 14. The hour and date specified for receipt of Offers <input type="checkbox"/> is extended <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is not extended. Offers must acknowledge receipt of this amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation or as amended, by one of the following methods: (a) By completing items 8 and 15, and returning <u>1</u> copies of the amendment; (b) By acknowledging receipt of this amendment on each copy of the offer submitted; or (c) By separate letter or telegram which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers. FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF OFFERS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER. If by virtue of this amendment you desire to change an offer already submitted, such change may be made by telegram or letter, provided each telegram or letter makes reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening hour and date specified.										
12. Accounting and Appropriation Data (if required)										
13. THIS ITEM APPLIES ONLY TO MODIFICATIONS OF CONTRACT/ORDERS. IT MODIFIES THE CONTRACT/ORDER NO. AS DESCRIBED IN ITEM 14.										
(x) A. This change order is issued pursuant to: (Specify authority) The changes set forth in item 14 are made in the Contract Order No. in item 10A.										
B. The above numbered Contract/Order is modified to reflect the administrative changes (such as changes in paying office, appropriation date, etc.) Set fourth item 14, pursuant to the authority of FAR 43.103 (b)										
C. This supplemental agreement is entered into pursuant to authority of:										
D. Other (Specify type of modification and authority)										
E. IMPORTANT: Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> is not, <input type="checkbox"/> is required to sign this document and return <input type="checkbox"/> copies to the issuing office.										
14. Description of Amendment/Modification (Organized by UCF section headings, including solicitation/contract subject matter where feasible.)										
This Amendment revises the Solicitation as follows:										
SECTION C										
Because of the number of changes, a revised Section C, in its entirety is attached to this Amendment and supersedes the previous version of Section C provided with Amendment 0000. The following are the key changes (but not all changes) to Section C.										
Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in item 9A or 10A, as heretofore changed, remains unchanged and in full force and effect.										
15A. Name and Title of Signer (Type or Print)					16A. Name and title of Contracting Officer (Type or Print)					
15B. Contractor/Offeror					15C. Date Signed		16B. United States of America		16C. Date Signed	
(Signature of person authorized to sign)							(Signature of Contracting Officer)			
NSN 7540-01-152-8070					30-105		STANDARD FORM 30 (REV. 10-83)			
PREVIOUS EDITIONS UNUSABLE							Prescribed by GSA FAR (48 CFR) 53.243			

C.5.1.1, Large-Scale Computing (LSC) Component, 4th paragraph, language concerning early access system for FSL has been revised.

C.5.3.2, Batch Queuing Software, language in 1st and 4th paragraphs has been revised.

C.5.3.3, Programming Environment Software, language in the 3rd paragraph under data conversion facilities has been revised.

C.5.3.4, Commercial-of-the-Shelf Software, first sentence of first paragraph has been revised to include maintenance.

C.5.5, IT Security Requirements, has two minor revisions.

C.5.6, Government-Provided Facilities, under Greenbelt, MD, 2nd paragraph has been revised.

C.11.1.5, Non-Raised Floor Space and Equipment Storage Areas, revised to reflect relocation of 5 silos at PRTN.

C.11.1.8, Maximum Allowable Height of Equipment, GRBLT language in 3rd and 4th paragraphs has been revised.

C.11.1.9, Space Below Raised Floor, language regarding raising the floor space at GRBLT to 22 inches has been revised.

C.11.2.1, Physical Access for Equipment Installation, GRBLT revised to include double doors.

C.11.2.3, Loading Capacity of Raised Floor, language under PRTN and GRBLT has been revised.

C.11.6.1, Fire Alarm and Suppression Systems, changes under BLDR-1, BLDR-2, and PRTN.

SECTION J

J.6, Requirements Matrix, a revised Requirements Matrix is attached. The Requirements Matrix provided with Amendment 8 should be deleted and replaced with the attached Requirements matrix.

SECTION L

L.5.2, OFFEROR'S TECHNICAL PROPOSAL, the number of proposal copies to be submitted to the Contracting Officer is corrected to read as follows: "Two (2) hardcopies of the Offeror's technical proposal and one (1) machine readable CDROM copy of the Offeror's technical proposal shall be submitted in the format prescribed in L.6.1 to the following address:"

Page 4 of Section L should be removed and replaced with the attached revised Page 4.

L.6.1 TECHNICAL PROPOSALS, the fifth paragraph is changed to increase the page count for technical proposals to 150 pages. Accordingly, the first sentence is changed to read as follows: "The technical proposal must not exceed 150 pages in length (75 sheets of paper when printed double sided)."

Page 8 of Section L should be removed and replaced with the attached revised Page 8.

2. This Amendment also responds to vendor's questions received since issuance of the Solicitation. These responses are included as an attachment to this Amendment. NOTE: The questions and answers are also posted to the NOAA R&D HPCS web site at:

<http://rdhpcs.noaa.gov>

If there are any disparities between the questions and answers on the web site and this Amendment, this Amendment shall prevail. Answers to previous questions not provided with this Amendment, and any additional questions received will be responded to in a subsequent Amendment.

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